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Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
July 1	Beverly .....	New Orleans .....	42	0	1	(a)
2	Harold .....	Mobile .....	22	0	0	0
5	Brewster .....	New Orleans .....	32	1	0	1
6	Fort Morgan .....	Mobile .....	25	3	0	6

a Not inspected.

*Smallpox and leprosy; imported.*

I have to report the existence in this port of one case of smallpox and one case of leprosy.

The case of smallpox came from the Changuinola River, about 12 miles from this town. The patient, a laborer in the employ of the United Fruit Company's banana plantation, had a high and continued fever for two or three days, so was sent down to their hospital, which is located on one of the small islands about 2 miles from the town of Bocas del Toro. He arrived at the hospital about midnight. The company physician saw him the next morning and noticed the existence of papules over the body and that the temperature had commenced to go down. The patient was at once isolated, and yesterday (12th) was reported to me as having smallpox. I have been unable to trace the origin of the infection.

The case of leprosy is in a Central American Spaniard, who states that he has lived with a tribe of Indians at the headwaters of the Changuinola River for several years. He was not aware of the nature of his disease and came here for treatment. The case is reported as isolated. I went to see him and found that the isolation is very imperfect at the present time. No definite conclusions have been reached regarding the ultimate disposition of the case.

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*Report from Callao—Plague situation—Smallpox in Chilean ports—  
Plague at Iquique—Vaccination.*

Assistant Surgeon Lloyd reports, June 14, as follows:

PLAGUE.

	New cases.	Recovered.	Died.	Remaining.
Lima .....	6	3	2	5
Chiclayo .....	0	3	0	3
Mollendo .....	1	6	2	12
Callao .....	1	1	0	1
Cerro de Pasco .....	1	.....	1	.....
Total .....	9	13	5	21

The Callao and Cerro de Pasco cases have been previously reported. The period covered by this report is June 1 to 10, inclusive.

Smallpox continues unabated in Chilean ports. There seems to be no doubt that plague cases are not an uncommon occurrence in Iquique.